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MEDICINAL

Swallowing

A good meal is a trick not conducive to health and longevity. But it is not more important than the hasty swallowing of food which is washed down by a glass of ice water.

The cure of the stomach and allied organs of digestion, there is no medicine so effective as Dr. Mott's Golden Pennyroyal Pills.

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DEATHS IN 1900.
The dying year has left the average number of tombstones in old Alexandria, 192 white adults having paid the debt of nature since the advent of 1900.

The year itself, after the midnight stroke, will have become a part of history and a back number.

With the listing of children and colored people the death rate in Alexandria is about one every twenty-four hours; hence there is a ceaseless stream of new arrivals in the year.

It is a serious subject upon which to meditate, and yet a solemn fact that several hundred people now moving among us will be sleeping in the city of the dead when the bells are tolling out 1901.

We have no idea who may be booked for the eternal world, nor would it add to our peace of mind to know; but in the face of such a solemn fact how painful should we be with one another, especially with those with whom it is our hap to mingle daily.

How we would like to recall many thoughts or cruel words expressed toward some one now in the spirit world, and how much easier we could have rendered the path of some struggling soul who has gone before us.

Instead of crowding and killing one another in the mad race for preferment, riches, power or honor, how much more would it be in accord with our humane mission to bear each other's burdens, so that when the angel of death overtakes us (and he is on the track of all) his sting will have more of its venom extracted.

And now, upon the threshold of a New Year, let us will in the land of the living endeavor to be kind to one another, as it is impossible to tell who is to drop out of the race during the coming year.

Acton, Virginia, February 27.
Burley, Catherine, January 16.
Boesart, Amanda, January 25.
Beach, Salome, February 5.
Brown, Maggie, February 5.
Bonz, Martha A., March 3.
Brown, Wm. B., March 20.
Broders, Joseph, March 22.
Bradley, C. C., April 26.
Beaton, Virginia Ann, May 21.
Barker, Ulan W., June 25.
Brown, Catharine S., July 23.
Boland, Sallie, August 7.
Barnett, George, August 17.
Blackburn, Susan B., September 22.
Beckham, Carrie, December 15.
Brent, Andrew, December 25.
Cox, Celestia A., February 9.
Cavan, Edward, March 10.
Chauncey, William E., March 12.
Chalmers, Algernon C., March 28.
Cook, James H., March 30.
Chevally, Samuel, May 19.
Craven, John, September 13.
Claridge, Wm. H., October 19.
Catts, John E., October 21.
Curley, Annie V., December 22.
Carroll, Owen, December 26.
Davis, Annie E., January 23.
Donnelly, Emma, January 30.
Darley, George, March 19.
Duncan, Thomas, May 31.
Dunnington, John F., June 25.
DeLaguel, Mrs. J. A., August 16.
Dean, William, September 23.
Duncan, Sallie R., September 23.
Duty, William, October 29.
Dougherty, John, November 4.
Dement, Charles, November 14.
Davis, Charles M., November 19.
Doran, Mary A., November 22.
Eckridge, John, January 18.
Estwile, Henry, March 18.
Evans, Mary, April 5.
Bonia, Frank, April 9.
Emerson, Prudence, May 13.
Evans, John, August 4.
Batwile, Beulah, August 12.
French, Clarence E., January 4.
Fones, Winnie A., January 14.
Fones, Tabitha, February 9.
Frank, Susie, April 21.
Flanigan, Joseph R., July 11.
Flitpatrick, John, August 26.
Guy, Frances, February 18.
Gorbam, Kate, February 24.
Gouda, Benjamin F., March 7.
Garner, Jane C., May 19.
Green, Mary T., May 22.
Gaines, Katha A., August 9.
Grigg, Joseph L., October 28.
Greenlee, Mrs. Archibald, Dec. 19.
Hamesley, James F., February 1.
Hayes, Margaret, February 19.
Hobbrook, Ann, March 2.
Helmuth, Valentine, March 6.
Heimlich, Ferdinand, May 23.
Hepburn, James, August 7.
Howard, Edward, September 30.
Hunter, Joseph H., December 26.
Idensen, August J., December 16.
Jones, Mary, April 18.
Jones, J. A., July 6.
Johnson, James, September 25.
Jasper, Bettie, F., November 9.
Kemp, Arthur, February 14.
Kerick, Matilda B., April 11.
Keen, Jane, September 2.
Keyes, Francis, October 18.
Lucas, Georgianna, January 25.
Langlof, Sarah J., March 10.
Lovelace, Mrs. May, 28.
Lyles, Ann E., May 28.
Luckett, Robert, June 24.
Lynch, Mary, August 13.
Lindsey, William, August 11.
Lyles, George H., September 19.
Lee, Lerty, October 23.
Lindsey, Noble, December 25.
Mingen, Joseph, January 13.
McCleary, Charles L., February 10.
Mills, Sarah J., March 5.

DRY GOODS.

Isaac Eichberg & Son.

To our friends, patrons and the public generally:

Please accept our thanks for your kind and liberal patronage during the year 1900,

which has afforded us the largest business in the history of our store.

For almost 40 years we have tried to deserve your patronage by handling none but thoroughly reliable merchandise, and we shall continue to do so as long as this business exists.

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The Best Breakfast.

Give a man a good breakfast and he has a solid foundation for the day's labor.

Dark Virginia Buckwheat (akes, E. S. Co. Mocha and Java fresh Roasted Coffee, and C. S. Yates & Co.'s Pure Pork Sausage, by a country recipe. A crisp breakfast for a winter morning.

Sweet and Sour mix'd.
" " " " Gherkins.
" " " " Midgets.
India Relish, White Onions, Gold Medal Worcester Sauce, Key Brand Ketchup, Queen Olives, Silver Thread Sauer Kraut, Mince Meat, Apple Butter, &c.

C. R. YATES & CO.,
CORNER FAIRFAX AND DUKE STREETS
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Special Prices
ON ALL WINES AND LIQUORS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Fine Old Rye Whisky. Regular price \$3 Special per gallon.....\$2.00
Hannamville, Pure Rye, 4 years old. Was \$4 per gallon. Now.....\$3.00
Very Old Sherry Wine. Reg't price \$3.50 Special per gallon.....\$1.50
Very Old Port Wine. Regular price \$2.50 Special per gallon.....\$1.50
Extra Dry Sweet Catawba Wine. Gal. 90c 5 yr. old Apple Brandy. Per gal.....\$2.50
We carry in stock all kinds of Foreign and Domestic Wines, Liquors, etc.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON,
Royal and Wolfe sts.

IF YOU WANT TO MAKE A FRIEND
Give him for a Xmas present a box of "Captain Billy" Cigars.

And when he smokes them he will say, "Captain Billy is on fire!"
Packed in fancy boxes. Price \$1.
dec21 B. B. SMITH, Manufacturer.

Puzzled?
What to give this Xmas need not worry you any longer, a glance at the following will help solve the problem.

WATCHES from \$2 to \$50.
CHAINS from 25c. to \$25.
LOCKETS from \$1.25 to \$10.
SLEEVE BUTTONS from 25c. to \$5.
COLLAR BUTTONS from 25c. to \$2.50.
STUDS from 25c. to \$1.50.
GOLD RINGS from 50c. up.
EARRINGS from 25c. up.
SPECTACLES from 25c. up.
EYEGLASSES from 25c. up.
CLOCKS from \$1 to \$25.
SILVER TEA SPOONS from \$3.50 to \$6 half doz.
SILVER TABLE SPOONS from \$5.50 to \$14.
LADLES from \$1.50 to \$10.
KNIVES from \$1.75 to \$1.85 half doz.
FORKS from \$1.75 to \$1.85 half doz.
Sterling silver and other novelties, handsome articles from 25c. up. Much better articles than are sold in Washington at the same price. Call, see, and convince yourself.

Henry W. Wildt,
106 N. Royal st.

What You Can Buy for a Xmas Gift.

Cigars of all kinds in Fancy Boxes, from 50c to \$3.00 a box.
Cigar and Tobacco Jars, Ash Receivers and Match Trays from 25c to \$2.50.
Cigar and Cigarette Cases.
Cigar Cases and Pocket Books.
The finest line of Pipes ever offered in the city. Foot Balls and Punching Bags.

Call and make your selection and compare our Prices with others.
Have you seen the Parker Fountain Pen?
B. E. SMITH,
505 King st.
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"IF HE SMOKES,"
Buy him a box of "OUR SENATOR" CIGARS.
Photograph and signature of Jas. W. Daniel on each box. It has no equal.
Packed in Xmas boxes.
Price.....\$1.00
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AT FRENCH'S BOOKSTORE,
417 and 419 King st.

Don't fail to inspect the Imported Novel ties in finely decorated China and Japanese Good—goods not to be found elsewhere.

LEATHER GOODS in great variety. Dress suit Cases, Traveling Bags, Comb and Brush sets, Five Pocket Books, Cases and Purses, Leather Writing Pads and Inkstands. Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals, large assortment of Calendars, Toys, Games, Tree Ornaments, and an endless variety of large Picture Books, Blocks, &c. for the little ones. A fine display of Pictures at lowest possible prices. Fine Cutlery, Fountain Pens, Opera Glasses, Clocks, &c. Vanities Imported Crystallized Ginger, Orange, and Orange Peel put up in 1/4, 1/2, and one-pound packages.

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HUNYADI,
KUBINAT,
VILKONIGS and TATE EPSOM SPRING, constantly on hand at

WARFIELD & HALL'S,
Corner Prince and Fairfax streets

MEETINGS.

THE 32d ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INDEPENDENT MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Fairfax county, Va., will be held in the company's office, 119 1/2 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 14th day of January, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street Alexandria, Va., on JANUARY 14, 1901, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year. Polls to be open from 12 m. to 1 p. m.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the DULIN & MABIN CO. will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 15th, 1901, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the ANGLICAN AMERICAN COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at 11.30 o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 9th, 1901, at the principal office of the company, No. 125 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing three directors for a period of three years and other business as may be necessary and properly brought before it. By order of the Executive Committee.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the ANGLICAN AMERICAN COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at 11.30 o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 9th, 1901, at the principal office of the company, No. 125 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing three directors for a period of three years and other business as may be necessary and properly brought before it. By order of the Executive Committee.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the CAPITAL SYNDICATE COMPANY will be held at 11.45 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1901, at No. 107 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of electing a President, Directors, and transaction of other necessary business. By order of the Manager.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the DEBENTURE STOCK COMPANY will be held at 11.45 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1901, in the principal office of the company, No. 107 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of electing a President, Directors, and transaction of other business. By order of the Executive Committee.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the DUNHAM MACHINE COMPANY will be held at No. 123 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 8, 1901, at 2.30 p. m. By order of the Board of Directors.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the OLD DOMINION PERPETUAL BUILDING FUND ASSOCIATION will be held on TUESDAY, January 1, 1901, at 7.30 p. m., at the office of James E. Caton.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION, NO. 5, OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., will be held on THURSDAY, January 3, 1901, at 7.30 p. m. at their office, 119 S. Fairfax street.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON, D. C., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of said association will be held at the principal office of the association, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at eleven o'clock a. m. WEDNESDAY, January 16, 1901.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the GEORGE W. KNOX EXPRESS COMPANY will be held at 2 p. m. THURSDAY, January 3, 1901, at the office of the company, No. 212 King street, Alexandria, Va.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the COLUMBIA NATIONAL SAND DREDGING COMPANY will be held at Fleischmann's Hotel, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, January 10th, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect Directors and transact other business.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
The annual election for Directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 8th, 1901, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK.
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 7, 1900.
The annual meeting of stockholders of this bank for the ELECTION OF DIRECTORS will be held at its Banking House on TUESDAY, January 8, 1901, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

FOR SALE OR RENT.
FOR RENT.—FRAME HOUSE, 909 Cameron street, hot and cold water, bath, modern conveniences. Possession given January 1st. Rent \$200 a year.
JOHN T. NALLS.

FOR SALE OR RENT.
STORE AND DWELLING, No. 1011 Cameron street, hot and cold water, bath, modern conveniences. Possession given January 1st. Rent \$200 a year.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of THE MCLACHLEN REAL ESTATE & LOAN CO., for the election of Directors, will be held in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, TUESDAY, January 8th, 1901, at 12 m., at the office of Francis L. Smith, No. 123 south Royal street.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of THE IOWA APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY for an election of a Board of Directors and for other business, will be held in the city of Alexandria, Va., at No. 123 south Fairfax street, TUESDAY, January 8, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of THE CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY for the election of Directors will be held in the Braddock House, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, January 14, 1901, at 3.15 o'clock p. m.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of THE CHARLES SCHNEIDER BAKING COMPANY for the election of board of directors and other business will be held at the office of the company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, January 2, 1901, at 4 p. m. Transfer books will be closed 10 days before this meeting.

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Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry on Credit.

Pay a little each week. Our representative is in Alexandria every week and will call on you with a full line of samples if you drop a card with your name and address to our Washington office.

Railroad Watch—21 jewels—